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KEN SASAKI NPS PHARMACEUTICALS 6850 GOREWAY DRIVE MISSISSAUGA, ONTARIO L14V 1V7, CANADA

In re Application of LOOSMORE et al.

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MULTI-COMPONENT VACCINE TO PROTECT: For: AGAINST DISEASE CAUSED BY HAEMOPHILUS

INFLUENZAE AND MORAXELLA CATARRHALIS

Dear Mr. Sasaki:

You are named as an inventor in the above identified United States patent application, filed under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.47(a) and 35 U.S.C. § 116. Should a patent be granted, you will be designated as an inventor.

As a named inventor, you are entitled to inspect any paper in the file wrapper of the application, order copies of all or any part thereof (at a prepaid cost per 37 CFR 1.19) or to make your position of record in the application. Alternatively, you may arrange to do any of the preceding through a registered patent agent or attorney presenting written authorization from you. If you care to join in the application, counsel of record (see below) would presumably assist you. Joining in the application would entail the filing of an appropriate oath or declaration by you pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63.

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37 CFR 1.47 Notice by Publication

Notice is hereby given of the filing of a national stage application with a petition under 37 CFR 1.47 requesting acceptance of the application without the signature of all inventors. The petition has been granted. A notice has been sent to the last known address of the non-signing inventor. The inventor whose signature is missing (Ken Sasaki) may join in the application by promptly filing an appropriate oath or declaration complying with 37 CFR 1.63. The international application number is PCT/CA00/00811 and was filed on 11 July 2000 in the names of Sheena Loosmore, Yan-Ping Yang, Michel H. Klein, and Ken Sasaki for the invention entitled MULTI-COMPONENT VACCINE TO PROTECT AGAINST DISEASE CAUSED BY HAEMOPHILUS INFLUENZAE AND MORAXELLA CATARRHALIS. The national stage application is assigned number 10/030,313 and has a 35 U.S.C. 371(c) date of 07 May 2002.